

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Applicant's representative Eric Nelson on 12/19/08.

The application has been amended as follows:

In reference to Claim 1

In line 18, "performs" has been replaced with --is configured to perform--. In line 19, "selects" has been replaced with --select--. In line 21, "each time point" has been replaced with --a given time--. In line 22, "contraction wave" has been replaced with --contraction waveform--.

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In reference to Claim 2

In line 2, "calculates" has been replaced with --is configured to calculate--. In line 4, "evaluates" has been replaced with --evaluate--.

In reference to Claim 4

In line 2, "performs" has been replaced with --is configured to perform--. In line 4, "generates" has been replaced with --generate--.

In reference to Claim 5